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Applicant : T. MORI et al
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VIRTUAL COMPUTER SYSTEM
TC/AU : 2127
Examiner : A. Syed
Docket No. : NIT-266
Customer No.: 24956

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 20, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A Petition and fee for a three-month Extension of Time accompanies this response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.